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WILSON REMOVES ALL DOUBTS HE IS LEADER OF PARTY

Letter Urging Higdon Not to Oppose Long for Senate Taken as Proof.

FEELS TIDE RETURNING.

Ex-President Said to Believe Influence in Country Is Undiminished.

By David Lawrence.
(Special Correspondent of The Evening World.)

WASHINGTON, May 5 (Copy-right).—Woodrow Wilson considers himself the leader of the Democratic Party, all other aspirants for that position to the contrary notwithstanding.

This impression had been gradually gaining ground with the growing improvement in Mr. Wilson's health, but the letter written to John C. Higdon, who asked the former President's advice about entering the Democratic Senatorial primary in Missouri, now has been accepted here as removing all doubts.

In the letter the former President suggested that if Mr. Higdon believed in "my political leadership" he would not complicate the contest by making it a three-cornered fight as Breckinridge Long, a close friend of Mr. Wilson, had already begun his campaign to wrest the nomination from Senator James A. Reed, arch-political foe of Mr. Wilson.

Democrats hereabouts who profess to know all about Mr. Wilson's political thoughts look upon the letter to Mr. Higdon with deep satisfaction. They say it is full of meaning for those who have essayed to place James M. Cox at the head of the Democratic Party because he was the nominee at the last convention. The question really asked by the Wilsonites is whether a man who was twice elected to the Presidency on the Democratic ticket, indeed the first Democrat in a generation, isn't entitled to consider himself leader of the party as against another Democrat who simply ran for the Presidency and was defeated. For that matter, William Jennings Bryan ran three for the Presidency and doesn't believe in taking a back seat for anybody, but it is a fact that Mr. Wilson has on more than one occasion made it clear that he is the leader of the party, and not Mr. Bryan.

This attitude on the part of Mr. Wilson, however, hasn't prevented either Mr. Bryan or Mr. Cox from regarding themselves as leaders of the party. But the truth of the matter is that neither one stands well in the graces of Mr. Wilson when leadership is involved.

There is every reason to believe Mr. Cox and Mr. Wilson, for instance, are on good terms. The speeches of Mr. Cox recently have been right along the same lines as Mr. Wilson has expounded, particularly with reference to the League of Nations, but it is an open secret that Mr. Wilson has looked askance at what he has construed to be an attempt to grab the leadership of the Democratic Party on the part of Mr. Cox.

At the same time, another story (Continued on Tenth Page.)

Who Will Shave Flapper Necks? Barbers and Beauty Experts in Clash Over Bobbed Hair Rights

Price War Started in Oklahoma City and Both Sides in Controversy for Trade Warn Girls to Beware of Rivals.

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 5.—Who will shave the necks of the bobbed hair flappers?

"This all important question resulted to-day in a 'business war' between beauty experts and 'gentlemen' barbers in Oklahoma City.

"Gentlemen" barbers object to beauty experts doing any shaving, be it on the male or the female of the species.

Beauty experts on the other hand come back with the statement that "shaving necks of flappers is part of our job."

Barbers won the first round when they reduce the prices.

Beauty experts made a counter attack and warned flappers to keep away from the barber shops.

"They may cut you and mar your beauty with those old-fashioned, straight-edge razors," they declared. "Come to us, we use safety razors."

"Bosh," retorted Oklahoma City's leading barber, "Flappers don't like those new safety things."

"Of course I will admit some of my new barbers got fussed when shaving a flapper, but we haven't cut any one yet."

Both the beauty expert and the barber, however, agree on the question "Will the hair on a flapper's neck grow briefly if it's shaved often?"

"Only time will tell," they declare.

BEVERIDGE WON BY 20,472 VOTES

Figures Show He Got Total of 205,410 Against 184,938 Cast for Senator New.

INDIANAPOLIS, May 5 (Associated Press).—Former Senator Albert J. Beveridge defeated Senator Harry S. New by 20,472 votes in Tuesday's primary for the Republican nomination for United States Senator, according to complete unofficial figures from 92 counties in Indiana as tabulated by the Associated Press here to-day.

The vote was Beveridge, 205,410 and New, 184,938, making the total Republican vote cast 390,348.

The complete unofficial vote on the Democratic Senatorial contest showed that former Governor Samuel M. Ralston won the nomination, having a majority over all other contestants of 79,405. Ralston's total was 171,952.

WOMAN JUDGE TO HOLD COURT IN HER PARLOR

CAN RUN IN FROM KITCHEN TO TRY

PREPARED, Ill. May 5.—Police court will be held in the parlor of her home, Mrs. Mildred Brandt, recently elected Police Magistrate of Winnetka, Ill., announces. She says that holding court at home will take less time from domestic duties and she will not need a downtown office.

BURGLARS' SCHOOL OF CORRESPONDENCE BARED BY ARREST

Pupil Wore 22-Pound Armor Plate Beneath Clothing.

LOS ANGELES, May 5. A man wearing twenty-two pounds of armor plate a quarter of an inch thick beneath his shirt was arrested here to-day. He had typewritten instructions from a "Burglars' Correspondence School," and was armed. The armor was found when a policeman tapped the man inadvertently and heard the ring of metal.

ESTIMATE BOARD REJECTS CONTRACT FOR 14TH ST. "L"

Action Follows Protest of East New Yorkers Who Appeal for Subway.

THOMPSON AT MEETING.

Chicago Mayor Shown How Things Are Done in New York.

With Mayor Thompson of Chicago sitting at Mayor Hylan's right in the capacity of honored guest and spectator, the Board of Estimate to-day sent back to the Transit Commission without its approval a \$1,149,196 contract for an elevated extension of the 14th Street-Eastern District subway line from Meserole Street, Brooklyn, to East New York.

The board's action was the climax of a meeting replete with many dramatic effects. Opponents of the elevated extension, armed with cow bells, rattles, whistles and signs, hissed and groaned and cat-called whenever the name of Gov. Miller was mentioned and created a pandemonium of carnival noises whenever Mayor Hylan made a point against the Transit Commission.

In moving for the rejection of the 14th Street subway bid, Borough President Riegelbaum of Brooklyn pointed to Mayor Thompson and said: "Let us show Chicago how we do things in New York."

The Mayor of Chicago, grayer, stouter and more sophisticated looking than when he ascended the steps of City Hall seven years ago, wore to-day a gray, cone-pointed campaign hat instead of the expansive black, sombrero headgear he affected on his first visit.

While here, Mayor Thompson, to use his own words, is to be "an humble pupil of John F. Hylan, the leader of all there is to be learned about the transit situation." He is to find out how there is a five-cent fare in the subway and in the Elevated lines and how New York City gets away with it. It is not likely that he will delve into New York City's crop of seven, ten and fifteen-cent fares.

While the Board of Estimate waited for Mayor Thompson to arrive the auditorium was jammed with a delegation of men and women from East New York to tell the city authorities that they don't want an elevated extension of the 14th Street subway.

"I am glad to see you," said Mayor Hylan, waving a friendly hand toward the flag-carrying delegation armed with horns and rattles. Mayor Thompson, with Mr. Hubert and Corporation Counsel O'Brien, each in a car, and John J. Stannard, Mayor Hylan's Secretary, bringing up in the rear, was given a reception that must have reminded him of an

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J. P. MORGAN SAILS FOR EUROPE MAY 13

Will Confer with European Bankers on Financial Aid to Germany.

J. P. Morgan will sail on the Olympic on May 13 to confer with European bankers on an international loan to Germany. He will be accompanied by George Whitney of J. P. Morgan & Co.

Mr. Morgan has no preconceived plan and said that until the bankers meet it would be impossible to go into detail as to amounts and terms. The amount of the loan, he said, will depend on the security back of it, and this has not been fixed.

823 Men's Spring & Summer Suits, \$14.95. The HUB CLOTHING CORP., 823 Broadway St. (opp. Woolworth Bldg.), will sell to-day and Saturday 823 Men's Spring & Summer Suits in the new men's newest shades of blue, brown and herringbone. Sport models, single and double breasted, all sizes; sold elsewhere at \$22.00. Special price for to-day & Saturday, \$14.95 & \$17.95. Open Saturday night till 10. HUB Clothing, Broadway, cor. Barclay St.—Adv.

MILLIONAIRESS, 60, WHO SECRETLY WED MOVIE EXTRA, 32



MRS. JAS. CAMPBELL. © BY PRESS PUB. CO.

GIRL SLOW IN STUDY SWALLOWS POISON IN CLASS IN SCHOOL

Quick Action Saves Her Life —Sits Up Late Trying to Pass "Exam."

Before the eyes of 50 classmates, a teacher and the principal of the public school at No. 52th Street and First Avenue, sixteen-year-old Irene Hylan, chagrined at having been published her studies, this afternoon swallowed a dose of poison and dropped unconscious to the floor. Prompt medical attention saved her life and she is recovering at the home of her parents, No. 345 East 53th Street.

The girl's mother said that Irene is ambitious to graduate from school in June in order that she may go to work and aid in the support of the large family. She was in a class room this afternoon when the principal, Matilda Lenin entered with the written records of the members of the class who are studying for promotion.

Irene was informed that her marks were low and that if she did not study harder she could not be promoted to the graduation class. The girl had in her pocket a vial of atropine which she had found at her home.

Swiftly uncorking the vial she swallowed the contents. The girls ran screaming from the class room and a teacher summoned Policeman Sheehan, who called an ambulance from Flower Hospital and Dr. Paul soon removed the poison and revived the girl.

"Irene can't study any harder," said her mother when the ambulance surgeon and the policeman carried her daughter into the house. "She sits up half the night now studying."

BLAND COAL BILL FAVORABLY VOTED ON IN THE HOUSE

Measure Would Create Fact Finding Commission in Industry.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Favorable report was voted by the House Labor Committee to-day on the Bland bill to create a fact finding commission for the coal industry.

"Mr. S. Trap Hanger," Movie, at Town Hall.

The first public exhibition of the motion picture "Mr. S. Trap Hanger" at the Town Hall. Admission is free. Gen. John F. O'Ryan, Transit Commissioner, will speak. The picture presents the transportation problem in this city and the solution of it as proposed by the Transit Commission.

\$8,000,000 WIDOW SECRETLY MARRIED TO MOVIE EXTRA

Mrs. James Campbell, About Sixty, in Seclusion With Young Husband.

WAS N. Y. STATE GIRL.

Bride Was Widow Here Before Meeting Late Tractor Magnate.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—The marriage of Mrs. James Campbell, widow of the late President of the North American Company, who was reputed the wealthiest man in St. Louis, and Henry Kias Van Heel, in San Diego, Cal., April 19, was announced here to-day by the couple. Mrs. Van Heel is about sixty years old, and her husband is thirty-two.

He is a literary dilettante and she is heir to one-half the income from the \$16,000,000 estate left by Campbell. Van Heel is a native of Ireland.

LOS ANGELES, May 5.—Van Heel for a time was an "extra" in a motion picture company here. He gave his age as forty-two and his address as New York.

Mrs. Campbell gave her age as forty-eight. They have been living in seclusion in Pasadena since the wedding, and it is understood that they intend to leave for New York within a few days.

James Campbell of St. Louis was a dominant figure in many railroad, steel and electrical power and light enterprises when he died at his country home at Greenwich, Conn., June 12, 1914. The bulk of his estate, amounting to about \$16,000,000, was left in trust to St. Louis University, a Jesuit institution, to found a hospital. The income, however, was left to his wife and his daughter, Lois, who, soon after his death, married Elmer Burkham, a civil engineer. One million dollars was left in trust to any children who might be born to his daughter.

Mrs. Campbell was a widow and a stenographer in that city in 1887, when she married Mr. Campbell, then in moderate circumstances. She was Florence Adie Von Planter when she married her first husband, Dr. Surden A. Taylor, in Ohio in 1883. She came of a Cooperstown, N. Y., family, which had moved to Kansas. Dr. Taylor died in 1884.

The Campbells lavished great sums of money on education and social advancement of their daughter, who was educated at Miss Ely's at Stamford. The probate of James Campbell's will was opposed by members of his family, who asserted that the daughter was a chaneling. The charge was held to be utterly without foundation at the trial and the higher courts refused to review the case.

NEW STATE PENSION COMMISSION NAMED

Body of Five Appointed by Gov. Miller—Haag a Member.

ALBANY, May 5.—Appointment of a new State Pension Commission was announced to-day by Gov. Miller. John J. Merrill of the State Tax Commission was appointed for four years; C. Floyd Haviland of the State Hospital Commission, for three years; Joseph Haag, Secretary of the New York City Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for two years; and William M. Thomas of the Attorney General's office for one year. Under the terms of the bill creating the commission the fifth member of the commission must be the State Superintendent of Insurance. The members of the new commission serve without pay.

THE WORLD TRAVEL BUREAU. Arcade, Fulton (World) Building, 33-35 Park Row, N. Y. City. Telephone Beekman 4000. Check room for baggage and parcels open day and night. Money orders and travelers' checks for sale.—Adv.

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CROKER FUNERAL ATTENDED BY MANY NOTABLES

Arthur Griffith, President of Dail Eireann, Pallbearer—Lord Mayor Attends Widow.

DUBLIN, May 5 (Associated Press).—Richard Croker, former Tammany Hall chieftain, who died last Saturday, was buried this morning in the mausoleum on the grounds of Glencairn Castle, the beautiful estate on his native soil of Ireland, where he had spent his declining years.

The pallbearers included Arthur Griffith, President of the Dail Eireann, and Alderman McDonagh, leading member of the De Valera party. The Lord Mayor of Dublin walked with Mrs. Croker, also Mrs. C. J. Morris, a daughter. Others present included James MacMahon, Under Secretary for Ireland, and Martin Fitzgerald, proprietor of the Freeman's Journal.

The coffin was covered with violets from the widow, surmounted by a wreath of orchids from Mrs. Morris. Another wreath bore the inscription: "In loving memory of our father from Ethel, May, Howard and Richard Croker." Harry Stevens of New York sent a wreath. The Stars and Stripes were half-masted on the tower of the house.

The will was not read to-day, as expected. The solicitor said no announcement would be made before next Monday.

Sammy's Nose Is Keener Than Izzy's for Rum

As Thirsty Painter He Steals Laurels of Demon Hooch Hound.

Izzy Einstein, the demon dry agent, was a rival in the Prohibition enforcement ranks. Said rival is named Sammy Kurzman. It is reported that Sammy tops the list of successful hooch discoverers day in and day out, although he has been an agent only about two months. He is a product of the east side and was made an agent through the influence of Republican County Chairman Koenig.

Sammy's associates call him "Sammy the Painter" because of some thirty or forty disguises. His favorite is that of an honest, thirsty painter. Posing as such he has nabbed scores of unsuspecting purveyors of illicit liquors. He makes a specialty of delicatessen dealers who circulate alcoholic beverages on the side, and his fellow agents say that once he camps on the trail of a suspect the suspect is doomed.

When Sammy puts on his spotted overalls, jacket and cap he also spots his hands and face with green or red paint. Generally he carries a roll of wallpaper or a paperhanger's board or a can of paint. Thus attired he entered the cafe of Henry Reitz, No. 2152 Amsterdam Avenue, early this morning and, after casual conversation about the weather and the painting industry, succeeded, he claims, in luring a drink and serving a sum-

Sammy Kurzman is about 5 feet tall, stoop shouldered, squint-eyed and weighs about 115 pounds. He shaves infrequently.

Manchurians Leave Arms, Dead and Wounded in Headlong Flight Toward Mukden After Fierce Fight.

American Colony Alarmed by Attempt of Defeated Force to Batter in Gates Which Is Stopped by Machine Guns.

PEKING, May 5 (Associated Press).—Gen. Wu Pei Fu was in control of Peking at noon to-day, and Gen. Chang Tso Lin, whose forces he routed yesterday in a fierce battle south of the capital, was reported fleeing to Mukden. Chang's army is retreating in disorder toward Tientsin.

The routed army left behind artillery, munitions, horses and loaded camels, and its wounded and dead. The total casualties in the day's fighting are believed to have reached from 5,000 to 7,000 dead or wounded.

Observers here believe Chang's sudden collapse has ended the hostilities. The gates of Peking continued closed overnight on account of stragglers from Chang's defeated army surrounding the walls. During the night the section of Peking inside the walls occupied by the Americans became greatly excited by an attempt of the soldiers outside to ram the gate and gain entrance. The guards on top of the wall opened machine-gun fire and dispersed the attacking troops, however. No foreigners were injured.

Admiral Strauss, commander of the American Asiatic Fleet, left in an automobile this morning for Tientsin. As the car was expected to cross the lines it flew a white flag.

All fighting in the vicinity of Peking had ceased this morning, but the city remained isolated so far as railroad communication was concerned.

General Wu Pei Fu was reported within a few hours' travel of Peking early to-day, but he had not then decided whether to enter the capital, apparently awaiting the result of the fighting in the direction of Tientsin.

He was quoted as saying he never would be contented until he had either captured Chang Tso Lin or driven him to Mukden. This was taken to indicate that he was not concerned about entering Peking immediately, although nothing prevented his doing so.

After Chang Tso Lin's defeat in the Fengtai and Changchintien districts on Thursday he took up a position along the Peking-Tientsin railroad between the stations of Langfang and Lofa. His purpose apparently was to rally his forces scattered in the vicinity of Peking and prevent Wu Pei Fu's advance upon Tientsin.

He was reported as expressing anger at the action of his troops at Changchintien and Fengtai, where on Thursday they retreated in disorder, leaving the way open for an undisputed march by Wu Pei Fu on Peking.

Before dawn Wu Pei Fu started a simultaneous attack on all of Chang Tso Lin's entrenched positions to the southwest of Peking. By 5 o'clock the Manchurian general had retired from Changchintien, twelve miles southwest of Peking's gates.

The retreating army fell back to the Hun River and tried to hold a position near the Marco Polo bridge, but under the advance of Wu Pei Fu's men, Chang's forces were compelled to flee, some departing on trains eastward for Tientsin and others scattering to the hills or pleading

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